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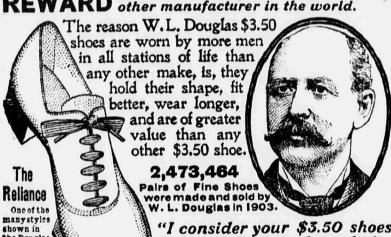
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CITTLE BLAZE IN CONDUIT AT BROADWAY AND FULTON ST.

Cuts Off One Telephone Central Entirely and Ties Up the Western Union and Postal Service to the Downtown Districts-The Property Loss Small.

An insignificant little fire that didn't last wenty minutes put out of business yeslerday practically all telegraph and teleshone service in the city south of Chambers street. The electric light, police and fire tlarm wires were severed and the brokers not only lacked the service of their tickers out were obliged to do business with the exchanges with the help of the district i nessenger.

The actual loss from the fire itself will i hardly be more than a few hundreds of collars. The indirect losses through broken usiness connections will amount to an inefinite number of thousands.

The tangle has not been all unsnarled ret. The telegraph and telephone lines robably will not be restored to their normal ondition until to-morrow. The fire alarm, the police and the electric light wires were epaired before sunset last evening.

The blaze started at 9 o'clock in the elecric wire conduit next to the Broadway turb at the southwest corner of Fulton treet. The conduit lies above the subway roper and close under the flooring, which as been laid down temporarily during the wbwav construction.

It centains thousands of wires of the elephone and telegraph companies, as well s all the newspaper telegraphic loops to Park row and a number of trunk cables if both the telephone and the telegraph

Two electricians, John Griffin of 12 Fast 82d street and John McKinnon of 78 East 27th street, had gone into the conduit to plice some telephone cables. They had been busy about half an hour when some

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conduit are a number of pitch pine braces and props, and these were almost instantly in a blaze. surface by a cloud of thick smoke. In th

in a blaze.

On the first floor of the building at the southwest corner of Fulton street and Broadway there is a shoe store, and above are offices. The shoe store closed its doors and the office tenants came swarming down to swell the clowd that packed in Broadway, south and north of Fulton street. The heat was so strong that the big plate glass window in the shoe store collapsed with a crash.

with a crash. Chief Kruger, one engine and a truck answered the alarm, and the fire did not live fifteen minutes after they got there. But the mischief, so far as electric communication was concerned, was already done. For a yard telephone and telegraph wires were melted and freed and put att of done. For a yard telephone and telegraph wires were melted and fused and put out of business. To say nothing of the trunk cables, the telephone company had in the conduit 1,600 wires of individual subscribers. The whole Cortlandt district running from Chambers street to Wall and from the North River to Park row and Nassau street was cut off from the telephonic world. In the 'telephone building at 18 Cortlandt street is the long distance exchange, and for a time long distance connections, the cables for which passed through the burned conduit, were cut off. It was impossible to duit, were cut off. It was impossible to communicate with New England and northern points until connection had been made in a roundabout way with other exchange contrast in the city.

centres in the city.

The Western Union and the Postal companies had all their downtown connections cut off, and brokers did business by relays

of messenger boys.

Workmen were engaged all last night untangling the mass of wires, and will be at it for another twenty-four hours. It is estimated that between 4,000 and 5,000 wires were cut off. The actual property loss will probably not exceed \$700 or \$800.

Boers Arrive for the World's Fair.

NORFOLK, Va., April 6.-The British teamship Doune Castle, having on board nelted paraffin blazed up, burning both men severely, but not dangerously, and setting fire to the burlap with which the lables are wrapped.

Griffin and McKinnon scrambled out of the manhole and were followed to the dangerously and setting fire to the burlap with which the lables are wrapped.

Griffin and McKinnon scrambled out of the manhole and were followed to the labels are wrapped.

Gen. Viljoen, formerly Vice-President of the Transvaal Republic, the South African exhibit for the St. Louis exposition and two men, horses and baggage for the Boer village at St. Louis, passed in the Virginia Capes to-day.

At \$2.87 Six Demi-tasse Cups and Saucers, Bavarian china, floral gilt

At \$4.94 A dozen Bread and Butter Plates, with gold tracings and colored

heavy gold borders on Rose du Barry grounds.

Bowl, eight inches in diameter. At \$5.68 a dozen Cut Glass Table At \$5.87 Cut Glass Claret Tankards,

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At \$8.48 Cut Glass Jelly Nappies, At \$11.47 Cut Glass Cheese Dish and cover.

Children's Wear. -2d F1

WOMEN'S HOSIERY.-1st Fl., Centre. include many patterns designed expressly for us and not shown elsewhere.

Previous mention of the new "Veiling" and "Broderie Anglaise" Hosiery tons on...... serves to illustrate the degree of care exercised in this as well as other departments in bringing the best novelties into early prominence. Our

parisons may easily prove. Partial lists of the new Hosiery now in com-AT 89c. A PAIR. Black Lisle thread, lace insteps, three groups of flower designs. Black Lisle thread, lace insteps, neatly Plain black Lisle thread, fancy em-Black Lisle thread, lace uppers, plain

boot, silk clocks. Black Lisle thread, lace upper, plain boots, insteps embroidered in white and black. White Lisle thread, lace insteps em-

broidered in colors. Plain tan gauze Lisle, very sheer; garter tops, assorted shades. Champagne Lisle thread, very sheer; garter tops

Tan Lisle, plain with open-work clocks. Plain tan Lisle thread, fancy embroidered insteps. Black Lisle thread, Mexican net instep,

self-colored clover, daisy and other new designs woven on net work.

AT 98c. A PAIR. Black Lisle thread, plain with self-colored, silk-mixed vertical stripes. Plain black Lisle, with self-colored woven diamond patterns with lace

Black Lisle thread, self-colored vertical stripes; small Jacquard figures in white and colors.

AT \$1.19 A PAIR. Black Lisle thread, lace clocks, embroidered in colors. Black Brilliant Lisle thread, fancy Jacquard figures on insteps. Black Lisle, self-Grenadine stripe, fancy Jacquard figures running entire length

of stocking. Brilliant Lisle thread, fancy Jacquard figures on slate, tan and navy. Brilliant Gauze Lisle thread, garter tops, plain tan, and champagne. Black Lisle thread, lace uppers, plain boot, handsomely embroidered clocks. Black Lisle thread, plain grounds with lace designs. Black Lisle thread, Mexican all-over

net, embroidered in colors.

We Are Showing A Widely Varied Stock of

New Belts for Women.—181 Fl., Rear. The range assures a perfect costume match hardly possible where less attention is given to this detail of feminine dress. In the showing are: Silk Crush Belts, in black, white, Silk Belts, high and low backs, blue and red; lined with white silk, fancy buckles and back pieces; in buckles of brass, nickel and black light blue, pink, cream, champagne, enamel; sold by others at 39° brown, black and 49° to \$3.96 white; prices from

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At \$9.36 Berry Sets, in Limoges china, with blue and gold tracings. At \$14.43 A dozen, Entree Plates, with

Chambray Sun Bonnets, embroidered

broidery ruffle; sizes 2 to 4 years . . . 99c "Brownie" Overalls, striped seersucker, "Brownie" Overalls, blue gingham, trimmed with turkey red, 1 to 8 year

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of woven madras; also "Mercerized Pongee," a soft silken-finished shirting fabric that is very popular. These Shirts have attached or detached cuffs. In appearance and fit they are equal to many speci-

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Men's Shirts. 34th St. Spring patterns of woven madras, in medium and dark stripes, on blue, gray and white grounds; also all sizes, cuffs attached or detached; Negligee or Semi-Negligee Shirts, coat style, fine pleated bosoms; in white, blue or tan; twenty patterns

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sive dealers at \$1.00; shown in large English Squares, folded Squares and Four-in-hands; spring patterns and colorings, including white and

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CHOIRLESS AND TRUSTEELESS. Trouble, but "Not the Slightest Frietion" in a Brooklyn Baptist Church.

The board of trustees of the Sumner Avenue Baptist Church, Brooklyn, of which the Rev. Frederick W. Trov is pastor, resigned on Monday because the congregation did not heartily indorse the church choir and the action of the board in retaining them during the last year, even though the expense was paid by subscriptions from the members of the board. After meeting on Friday night the board paid the choir in full to May 1 and told them they would be needed no longer. The choir then resigned. The church has since been without a choir and a board of trustees. Grinnell A. Pulis, president of the old board of trustees, said that all was harmonious in the church. Harry E. Stam, monious in the church. Harry E. Stam, another member of the board, corroborated President Pulis, and added:

"A year ago we had a volunteer choir of ten or twelve voices and they all resigned on Easter Sunday. We advertised for a volunteer choir, but there were no responses. For a time we had a makeshift choir. Finally we engaged a quartet. We asked for subscriptions and got only \$15. This was contributed by three persons, the pastor being one. When the congregation did not contribute, the trustees decided to stand by the choir and paid them out of their own pockets.

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dorsement from the church that they felt they were entitled to. But there is not the slightest friction. Instead of doing the planning, however, we will let others do it and give them our loyal support. There is simply a difference of opinion as to how things ought to be run."

It is said that the church is in debt and that it is considered inexpedient to have a paid choir. Unless the congregation can secure a volunteer choir next Sunday there will be no music at the services, the organist having resigned with the choir.

The church has a membership of 500.

Last Sunday the collection amounted to \$1,500; on Easter Sunday a year ago it was over \$4,000.

P. D. Cravath's City House to Be Enlarged

The residence of Paul D. Cravath at 107 East Thirty-ninth street is to be enlarged and remodelled. A five story rear extension will be added. The improvements are to cost \$5,000

MANTELS

00 of His Employees Have Now Been Dis charged After Arrest. Two of seven men arrested in a raid on The. Allen's poolroom at 80 Sixth avenue on Dec. 11 were discharged yesterday by Judge Newburger in the General Sessions.



THE. ALLEN WINS AGAIN.

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Judge Newburger in the General Sessions, the evidence for the prosecution amounting to little more than that they had been arrested in the supposed poolroom and were employees of Allen. The discharge of the others will be recommended by the District Attorney.

It is said that not only has The, triumphed personally over the police every time they thought they had him, but that ninety of his employees have now been discharged after arrest.